

Use of Historic Resources

AS OF FY2001, there are 501 historic buildings and structures on Fort Bragg. These resources are divided into the proposed Overhills historic district, the proposed Old Post historic district, and a small amount of stand-alone resources on both Fort Bragg and Camp Mackall.

Policy

Use of historic resources located on the main post cantonment as listed in *Appendix VIII: Historic Resource Inventory* will be limited to known and established military, administrative, and residential activities unless otherwise expressly indicated in this SOP. Use of historic resources located outside the main cantonment as listed in *Appendix VIII* (including all resources on the Overhills property and both stand-alone historic churches) will have specific use plans developed as a portion of the Historic Preservation Management Plan (HPMP). This SOP supercedes any information presented in an HPMP, and can act as a separate directive. Language in this SOP is effective immediately, and is not subject to the phasing requirements defined in the HPMP SOP.

Procedure

The following chapters of all HPMPs will address use of historic resources managed by Fort Bragg:

1. Current use of building/structure/district
2. Planned use of building/structure/district (if known)
3. Provisions for unique use of building/structure/district (as needed)

The “current use” and “planned use” chapters of the HPMP will define specified and allowed uses for the resources in accordance with real property category codes (see AR 415-28, *Real Property Category Codes*, 10 OCT 96, and DA PAM 415-28, *Guide to Using Real Property Category Codes*,

11 FEB 00). When needed, a chapter concerning provisions for unique use will outline, at a minimum, the following:

1. Allowed alternate use(s)
2. Authorized personnel for alternate use(s)
3. Guidelines for CRP coordination
4. Monitoring provisions

Affected Resources

Any historic resource on Fort Bragg that has a category code from DA PAM 415-28 will be used IAW definitions provided in the regulation. For category codes 76010 (Museum), 76020 (Monuments/Memorials), and 74035 (Conservation Building), alternate uses may be considered in coordination with the CRP. Other category-coded buildings may be considered on a case-by-case basis using the guidance described below.

Allowed Alternate Uses

1. Recreational
 - a. For recreational use of any historic structure, the CRP will be consulted during event planning phases. The CRP will determine if the proposed use will negatively impact historic resources and will require changes to the use plan accordingly.
 - b. Recreational use will occur IAW established Wildlife Branch (WB) management requirements. Recreational use will not be authorized by the CRP if otherwise forbidden by the WB.
 - c. Long Street and Sandy Grove Churches WILL NOT be used for recreational purposes.
2. Military Training
 - a. Must be IAW applicable range SOPs and range regulation currently in force.
 - b. Overhills training MUST be IAW current SOP for low-impact training, including buffer zone restrictions that prohibit training within 200 feet of any structure.
 - c. Long Street and Sandy Grove Churches are OFF LIMITS to all military training.
3. Meeting/conference facilities
 - a. Civilian meetings/conferences will be authorized at the discretion of the CRP. Previously authorized civilian

events using historic resources include reunions and professional society meetings.

- b. Facilities available include Long Street and Sandy Grove Churches, and Croatan Lodge at Overhills.

Authorized personnel for alternate use(s)

1. Military (active, guard/reserve, retired) who have demonstrated justifiable need.
2. Military dependants who have demonstrated justifiable need.
3. Ft. Bragg employees who have demonstrated justifiable need.
4. Civilians who have demonstrated justifiable need.

Guidelines for CRP coordination

1. Requests for alternate use of historic resources will be reviewed by CRP before approval is given:
2. Requests may be made via email to boykow@bragg.army.mil; via mail to XVIII Airborne Corps and Fort Bragg, Attn: AFZA-PW-E, Fort Bragg, NC 28310; fax to (910) 396-5830; or interoffice memo to the Cultural Resources Manager, ENRD, PWBC.
3. Requests must be received by the CRP no later than 21 calendar days before the proposed event date.
4. Requests will be reviewed, commented on, and returned to the requesting party within seven business days.
5. Any request deemed unsuitable by the CRP will be returned, and the use will not be permitted. The proponent may revise the request and resubmit it to the CRP. The CRP retains the right to another seven day review period.
6. Changes to SOPs from the Readiness Business Center (RBC) or WB affecting historic resource use will be reviewed by the CRP before adoption

Monitoring Provisions

1. The CRP retains the right to inspect the alternate use of historic resources at any time.
2. If violations of the use policy as outlined above are observed by the CRP, all actions/uses will cease.
3. For violations of the use policy during military training, the CRP will report the violation to the proper chain-of-command, RBC, and the Staff Judge Advocate Office. The military unit

will be responsible for rectifying/repairing any damage incurred by the violation.

4. For violations of the use policy by military dependants, the CRP will report the violation to the sponsor's chain-of-command and the Staff Judge Advocate Office. The sponsor of the dependant will be responsible for rectifying/repairing any damage incurred by the violation.
5. For violations of the use policy by Fort Bragg employees, the CRP will report the violation to the employee's supervising activity and the Civilian Personnel Office. The employee will be responsible for rectifying/repairing any damage incurred by the violation.
6. For violations of the use policy by other civilians, the CRP will report the violation to the Provost Marshall's office, require the civilians to rectify/repair any damage incurred by the violation, and will prohibit those civilians from using Fort Bragg historic resources in the future.
7. Violations discovered after the alternate use has concluded may also be subject to the reporting criteria listed above.